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SUBJECT: CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE TO MINISTER LEODOLTER

1. BACKGROUND: ON APRIL 14, 1975, MINISTER OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT INGRID LEODOLTER DELIVERED OPENING SPEECH AT OECD CONFERENCE ON BETTER TOWNS WITH LESS TRAFFIC TAKING PLACE IN PARIS APRIL 14-16. HEAD OF U.S. DELEGATION AT SUBJECT CONFERENCE IRWIN P. HALPERN, DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION FOR POLICY, PLANS AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, AND DEPUTY SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION JOHN W. BARNUM (ATTENDING OPENING CONFERENCE SESSION AS OBSERVER) REQUEST EMBASSY CONVEY FOLLOWING MESSAGE IN LETTER FORM TO MINISTER LEODOLTER.

2. BEGIN TEXT: "DEAR MADAME MINISTER, DEPUTY SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION JOHN W. BARNUM AND I WOULD LIKE TO OFFER OUR CONGRATULATIONS FOR THE VERY THOUGHTFUL AND STIMULATING SPEECH YOU PRESENTED TO THE OPENING SESSION OF THE OECD CONFERENCE ON BETTER TOWNS WITH LESS TRAFFIC. YOUR REMARKS PROVIDED ON EXCEPTIONALLY VALUABLE STARTING POINT FOR A CONFERENCE THAT WE HOPE AND BELIEVE WILL LEAD TO EARLY IMPROVEMENTS IN THE QUALITY OF URBAN LIFE THROUGH INNOVATIVE TRANSPORTATION MEASURES. SINCERELY,

IRWIN P. HALPERN

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DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR POLICY, PLANS AND

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS,  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION."  
END TEXT.  
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